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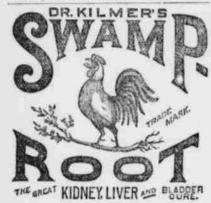
Anybody can go to heaven-on a tombstone. The man who loves his duty will

not slight it. Don't go where you would not be

willing to die. Don't go to sleep until you can for-

give everybody. If we could speak kind words we must cultivate kind feelings.

There are too many people who never pray until they have to,



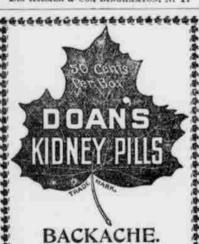
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THE SANDPIPER.

Across the narrow beach we flit, And fast I ather bit by bit. bone and I had almost lost the use of

And task I after oil by oil.
The waitered drift wood bleached and dry
The wild ways resolution himle for it.

As up and down the beach we flit—

The Wild wild raves, the tide runs high.

One little annippor and L me to try Hood's Sar- Above our heads the sullen clouds Soud back and swift across the sky. Like silent hosts to mi-ty shrouds Stand out the white it hthouses high Almost as far as ese can reach I see the cl so-rected vessels fly, A fast we fit along the beach— One little sandpiper and I.

change. The flesh I watch him as he skims alone, Utterin his awest and mournful cry. He etacts not at my fisful son t.

Or flash of flutterin; drappery He has no thou bt of any wront. He scan me with a fearlest eye Stannea friends are we, well triof and strong. The little sandpiper and L.

Comrade, where wilt thou be to-ni ht-When the loosed storm breaks furiously? My drift-wood fire will born so bright! To what warm shelter const thou fly? I do not fear for thee thou h wro h

The tem se trushes through he sky: for are we not Got a children both Thou, little samapiper, and I?

Lady Latimer's Escape.

BY CHARLOTTE M. BRAEMEL

CHAPTER III-CONTINUED.

"You might be tempted some day," she said. "You are beautiful enough, and you have a charm all your own. Remember my words: rather die a hundred deaths than make a miser-

We went over that vast mansion together, and the more I saw of Lady Latimer, the more I loved her. When we had gone together some time, I forgot that she was anything but a girl like myself.

We Lovels had always been famous for two things; one was a light-woods. They were like fairy-land, hearted love of laughter, the other The boughs of the trees movement. the humorous side of everything. We may have been deficient in some finer for it in these. We saw subjects for fun and laughter where other people vicarage the very home of merriwherever we went.

heartily and naturally as I did. went over the whole house, and its astonished me. It was like unravel- there; great sheaves of bluebells, of ing a fairy tale; but I saw that this wild strawberry blossoms, and of the

was a very beautiful picture; it was of a young man, quite young, not more than twenty years of age, wearing the picturesque uniform of the Life Guards. | We sat for hours together by the side A face that attracted and charmed me, for it had the dark, chivalrous ble subject except one. We never beauty of the knights of old—dark. spoke of herself. I had to go over beauty of the knights of old-dark. luminous eyes full of fire and courage, dark, level brows that nearly met, a proud, firm mouth, half covered with loved to hear of my father's study and a dark mustache, such a face as one sees in the pictures of Spanish knights and princes, yet with a gleam cried while he was baptizing it; how he of human tenderness in the eyes that arrested you, and made you stand still he was to the young men and maidens

asked. "Is it the portrait of a person | She liked to hear about my mother.

"dead" in conjunction with that beau-tiful, noble face. tion, that your mother must be that wonder of wonders—a perfect woman.

"Living," she replied. "Now, Au- She is a saint in church, a help in the drey, who is that?" Try to guess." I could not for I knew nothing of the Latimers, except that they the drawing-room." existed, and I told her so. She was looking at the picture with smiling

Latimer.

as I did of Greek. I looked up at her quite puzzled.

said. She laughed.

"No; he is but very distantly related that, when the present Lord Latimer | a high church curate; but Lady Latidies, Lionel Fleming will succeed him, and become Baron Latimer, of Lorton's Cray.

"No. I have only seen him once or twice.

"I do," was my almost breathless reply. "I have seen nothing so beautiful in my lffe."

"And spoiled?" I interrupted.
"No: not spoiled." she answered. beautiful in face.'

dreamily, "as men go."

Wherever I went during the remainler of that day I saw that face, the name sounded ever in my ears. inal. He was coming in

Dinner that evening was a stately, ceremonious affair, unutterably solemn and dull. The earl presided in great state. Everything was of the rarest and best, but dull and cheerme as though she would say, "Let us

those dinners were like when she was quite alone with the old lord.

She was quite a different Lady Latimer then. It seemed as though all the brightness and the sparkle died out of her. She looked bored by everything. She cat little and drank less. She looked unutterably wearied. Very few words were spoken, and it was a great relief when we withdrew. We went to the drawing-room, where the lamps were lighted, but not turned

"Come, Audrey, to the terrace," she said, "and let us see the May moon shining over the trees and the fountains." As we stood watching It she sud-

denly caught my hand, and with a passionate gesture I shall never forget, she cried: "Oh, Andrey, Audrey! is life worth living after all?"

I was very much puzzled by Lady Latimer. It seemed to me that hav ing so much money, living in such a magnificent house, the fast of being

surrounded by every possible luxury under the sun ought to have made her at least content. If she had passed through those magnificent rooms with a smile or a sna'ch of song on her lips, or the light of a glad content in her eyes. I could have understood. She seemed to have two moods. When she was with the old lord, silence, weariness, with a certain fine scorn of all and everything; when she was with me, of simple, almost child-like merriment. When it was possible for her able marriage. Now come and let us to escape the stately, gloomy presence see the house." of her husband, she did so, and then it was to hurry to me and beg that I would go out with her; and when we were in the woods together she forgot that she was Lady Latimer, and ran after butterflies, gathered wild flowers like any simple country girl. We spent hours in those bonny Lorton green grass below became filtered, as it were, through the leaves; a beautiing, rippling, clear as crystal, so that one could see the pebbles plainly in its

was the keenness with which we saw so that the sunlight which feil on the qualities, but we certainly made up ful brook ran through the wood, singwere solemn as judges. It was this bed; blue forget-me-nots grew on its particular quality which made the banks, and the green grass was wet with the shining water. The trees in ment, and which made us popular Lorton woods were strong and tall, with great spreading boughs, and the When Lady Latimer and I had been birds had built nests in them. Surely ogether a few hours, she laughed no other wood or forest ever held so We many birds, and surely no other birds ever sung so sweetly as these. Every extent, its magnificence, completely kind of fern and of wild flower grey

a wood full of hidden beauties; we

were always finding fresh nooks and

corners, each one more beautiful than

the other. Lady Latimer loved it.

of the brook, talking on every possi-

and over again all the details and rou-

tine of our home life. Lady Latimer

his sermons, and how he visited the

sick, and how nervous he was if a baby

cheered the old people, and how kind

of his parish; how he loved the boys,

and secretly enjoyed the fun of them.

mother in the nursery and a lady in

to perfection.

for me.

vicar, beautiful.

"She is all that," I answered laugh-

Lady Latimer liked best of all to

counters, their daily deadly peril of

life and limb, amused her more than

anything else. She would talk to me

of myself, and what would be my prob-

able fate. I could see nothing before

me but a few more quiet years at

mer would laugh and assure me there

was something more than that in store

"We shall see what those dark eyes

and that dark hair of yours will do for

you, Audrey," she would say. For my own part, I could not imagine why

nature made, the oldest of nine chil-

dren and the daughter of a country

During all of those long hours, when

life at that vicarage was dissected and

laid bare, no word was ever spoken of

herself or of Lord Latimer. The

longer I remained with them, the

greater grew my wonder that she had

married him. He was so old, so dull,

so gloomy; she so young, so fair, so

gay. But no allusion to her marriage

ever crossed her lips or mine. I en-

joyed my visit. I loved Lady Latimer;

everything and every one was pleasant

and agreeable to me, and when the

time of my visit ended, I returned to

the vicarage. I should like to de-

scribe that first night of mine at home

-how the boys surrounded me, and

would insist upon every detail, the

most absorbing of which were what I

had to eat and to drink. Their eyes

opened widely at the history of one of

the dinners at Dorton's Cray. Charley,

gourmand, cried eestatically, "I wish

I had been there!" The result of our

conversation was an anxious inquiry

who was always suspected of being a

alone would not make any one happy. lovely, delicate meadow-sweet. It was I remember that in the library there

"Who is that, Lady Latimer?" I living, or-"

But I could not utter the word to me one day, "from your descrip-

"That is Lionel Fleming." she said. their at law and next of kin to Lord

Atimer."

I knew as little of the laws of entail

hear about the boys; their adventures, their desperate en-

"He is not Lord Latimer's son," I

to him," she answered; but, for all home, then probably a marriage with "Do you know him well?" I asked.

He is quartered at Windsor. He will be here in September for the shooting. You seem to admire his face, Audrey."

"He is the most popular man in London," she said, "and certainly one of the best matches in England. You can form no idea how he is courted and flattered."

He is as noble in character as he is "A wonder among men," I com-

"He is a wonder," she answered,

"Lionel Fleming." I wondered if I should ever see the origtember, and doubtless we should be invited to Lorton's Cray. Then I took myself to task for wasting time in thinking of a picture and a name.

CHAPTER IV.

as to whether Lady Latimer meant to delight knew no bounds. less. Lady Latimer's eyes looked at father's study, and he had come with a tin' in these cement walks now and make haste and get it over and get Latimer. It was that I might go and mighty hard to gi away again." I could imagine what live with her entirely. She found her- Chicago Tribune.

self lonely, and when she was lonely consultation between my parents. My mother said how useful was to ber, and how much she should miss my help among the children and in the house. father said that he had never anticipated any of his daughters leaving home, but the stipend offered, a hundred and fifty pounds per annum, was a large one, and would be a great help with

daughters should have to leave home. scientific literature. But even that yielded before the thought of the comfort ti, at that addi-tional hundred per annum would give called in question by the most skeptic-

There was dismay and dread among the boys: there was, in fact, a revolution. Why should Audrey; their own them, and not to Lady Latimer. They wished now that she had nover come to Lorion's Cray. They wanted Audroy for themselves. The dear, gentle mother listened in patience. Then she explained to them the great advantages that must be derived from another hundred per annum, and what a nice thing it would be for me to be always well dressed, and meeting people who moved in high society.

"We are high society, mother," said Bob, reproachfully. "There is no one better than you and my father."

My mother kissed him in her quiet gentle fashion. "It will be best, my dear," she said

And then the boys knew that their plan of action had failed.

There was only one comfort for them: living at Lorton's Cray, forming one of that most august household, should be able to obtain some in dulgences for them, such as an oc casional ride or drive; and afterward both Lord and Lady Latimer provevery kind in this respect. They wer kind altogether; great hampers of game and fruit went from the hall t the vicarnge; great parcels of toy came for the boys, but the privilege o riding was the one they valued most

So it came about that I was in stalled at Lorton's Cray as a com panion to its mistress, with a salary o one hundred and fifty per annum, and a nice room of my own. I though myself the most fortunate of girls.

And now I come to the heart of my story. I had left the simple, happy home of my youth. I was in a new world and a new sphere of life. must add this one remark while speaking of myself: I was just eighteen, but like many eldest daughters of larg families, I was much older than my years. I had, it seemed to me, passed through the experience of a lifetime and I believe most eldest daughters have the same feeling.

From the moment I entered the house until the strange events happened which close my story, Lady Latimer clung to me with wonderful love. She seemed to rely on me, to trust me. She never liked to have me out of her sight. No sister ever cared for another as she did for me.

"I should think, Audrey," she said I remember one bright June morning she was standing on the lawn feeding some tame doves. The sunlight lay on her golden hair, her white dress, and the cluster of roses at her throat; study, a manager in the kitchen, a a picture fair as the day itself. There was a dreamy sadness in her exquisite face. She left the pretty birds, and stood looking over the square of founing, although my eyes were full of The beautiful silvery spray tains. tears; that was my mother's portrait rose high in the air.

I went up to her Her eyes wore a dreamy, far-off look that I have never seen in any other face.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Lamp Shades. An English electrical firm is introducing some striking novelties in electric lamp shades. These shades are made of a specially selected description of natural feathers, dyed in choice tints, and arranged in artistic shapes and combinations of color. Among other beautiful designs of shades for floor and table lamps are the representations of various kinds of flowers, made separately and grouped together on skeleton frames. The result is an entire departure from the hackneyed style of silk and lace shades now in The general construction vogue. of the shades is protected by a patent, and every design is registered. It is a noteworthy patterns is a young woman, who derives an excellent income from her

Out of Practice.

A colored woman presented herself as a candidate for confirmation in the diocese of Florida, and was required to say the creed, the Lord's prayer and the commandments. She got through with the first two very well. as somebody had evidently been coaching her, but when she came to the last she bungled and besitated, and then remarked in a confidential tone to the

"De fac' is, Mr. Turpin, I hasn't been practicin' de Ten comman'ments lately."—Life.

Working Both Ways.

Truckman-Boss, I'll have to charge you \$2 for haulin' these ashes away. It's more'n two miles to the dump, and the 'thorities won't let us empty them invite them, and when I told them this side of it. They watch us mighty

that she had even fixed on a day, their close Same Truckman, two hours later-I was not much surprised a few days Cap'n, I'll have to charge you \$2 fur afterward, to find Lord Latimer in my this load of ashes. Everybody's puthas to have fillin', and good ashes is request, a petition, a prayer from Lady mighty hard to git sow, I tell you .- TWO QUEEN BEES.

she was not well. There was a grave The Remarkable Discovery at an Ex-

hibition in Vienna A discovery was made and has been demonstrated at the bee exhibition held in connection with the Austrian horticultural and apicultural society Vienna, which is the talk in the capital and the truth of which is vouched for by hundreds and thousan's of visitors, besides being duly attested in writing by thirteen the number of children and the small trustworthy and competent witnesses, income. My dear mother argued that including members of the aristocracy, I should be able to spare at least one scientists and physicians. And this hundred for the use of those at home. discovery is of a nature to overthrow At last it was decided. My father all other theories about the political held out the longest; his pride was constitution of bees which may play touched at the thought that one of his such a prominent part in political and

Heretofore it was looked upon as an al, that each community of bees was distinguished by its ultramonarchical principles and its loyalty to one queen. The members of the nive would never sister and special friend, go away hear of a pretender, still less of a tim side.

It was not fair, and they decided in their own especial parlance "not to stand it." Their sister belonged to brought about a revolution. But the true is to law to law to law to brought about a revolution. But the decided by the stand it. Their sister belonged to brought about a revolution. But the true care of the wonder of the lady latimer. They have and not allow the lady latimer. They lawful queen herself would not allow things to go to any such extremes. The moment a rival presented herself, she would, speaking figuratively, attack her tooth and nail, and the duel would only end in the death of one or both. "We have changed all that now," the Austrian bees seems to say to their human visitors.

Professor Gatter of Simmering, has exhibited a thriving hive, the memers of which are governed conjointly by two queens, and the bees apparenty approve the innovation. Nay, what is still more remarkable, the two nonarchs get along most satisfactorily and without the slightest friction. Not only are there no signs of rivalry. ealousy or attempt at those feminine menities which are the last resort of oltured females of the human race when compelled to endure the other's oclety, but the two queen bees are positively affectionate-so affectionate. adced, that one might be tempted o suspect that one of the two was a ring in disguise, if such a hypothesis vere not rendered absolutely untenable by the strongly accentuated physiological characteristics of the ueen bee.

One of the greatest authorities on apiculture, Dr. Dzierzon, whose name is avorably known throughout the world n connection with several ingenious aventions for the comfort of bees, sat for hours at a stretch observing the conduct of the two queens. They approach each other from time to time without the slightest antipathy, and on two or three occasions actually caressed each other most tenderly and then separated quietly and peacefully. followed by their devoted suit. Professor Gatter received the first prize for his sensational exhibit, which is attracting crowds to the bee show, and the members of the horticultural societies of Vienna are proud to think that no such extraordinary spectacle as this was ever witnessed or recorded in the history of bees. The document drawn up, signed and duly attested, will be preserved in one of the museums of Vienna, and copies of it sent to apicultural societies throughout the world.

Sacrifice the First,

He had been working all the winter to get a place in the brass band as a cornet-player, and just as his hopes seemed to be on the verge of fulfilment she met him on his way home from the postoffice, and, linking her hand within his arm, walked on in silence until they reached the poplar walk. There she stopped in the long shadows and said: "George, I wish you wouldn't play the cornet in the new band." "Why not?" said he, surprised. "It is a place of honor, and I get a great deal of attention by it, "Yes. I know," she said coayingly. "It is nice to have you noticed by every one, and all that, but-She paused and hung her curly head a little lower. "But what?" said he sharply. "Blowing the cornet makes —makes—" Her voice sank to a pouting whisper. "Makes the lips so stiff and hard!" George has decided not to be the cornet-player in the band.

Slang.

Old usages of modern slang words turn up in unexpected quarters some-times. Most of us think that the word "jolly" in the sense of very, extremely, is of recent date; but in a serious theological work of two hundred years ago-John Trapp's Commentary on the Old and New Testafact that the designer of nearly all the ment (London, 1656-7) we read: "All was jolly quiet at Ephesus before St. Paul came thither." We have heard We have heard the same phrase from a schoolboy's mouth applied to a maiden aunt's tea-

A WOMAN'S HEART.

ONE DISEASE THAT BAFFLES THE PHYSICIAN.

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(From the Newark, N. J., Evening News.) Vnivular disease of the heart has always been considered metrable. The following interview, therefore, will interest the meatcal profession since it describes the successcal profession since it describes the success-fur use of a new treatment for this disease. The patient is Mrs. Geo. Archer of Clifton, N. J., and this publication by the Nows is tre first mention made of the case by any newsparer. All physicians consulted pro-nounced the patient suffering with varyu-lar disease of the Leart, and treated her without the shipatest relief. Mrs. Archer said: "I can'd no, walk agrees, the floor." said: "I could not walk across the floor; neither could I go up stars without so p-ping to let the pain in my chest and left arm cease. I left an awfur constriction about my arm and chest as though I were tied with repes. Then there was a terriole noise at my right ear. like the labored by athing of some great animal. I have often turned expecting to accome creature

Williams' rink rills for Pale People. My mother urged me to try the pills and on November in has I bought a box and began taking them and I have taken them ever since, except for a short interval. The first box did not seem to benefit me, but I persevered, enc army d by the requests of my relatives. After beginning on the sec-ond box, to my wonder, the solice at my right car ceased entirely. I kept right on and the distress that I used to feel in my

right ear ceased entirely. Its pt right on and the distress that i used to feel in my chest and arm gradually disappeared. The blood has returned to my face, fips and ears, which were entirely devoid of color, and I feel well and strong again.

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"Dixy" worshiped this picture. She had reached the age or womanhood now and was employed as a servant in the family of a rich man. One day there came to the door of her mistress a circular which told of the wonderful powers of Zemindar, an occult from India. She would see this man would she ever know who she was? As she stood at the door of this strange man's office her heart almost falled her, but at last she sat in the room of the seer with his dreaming eyes ooking into the post.

He said. "I and a magnificent home, a mother in anger takes her child from the arms of its nurse, upon this nurse's face is a look of hatred and revenge. Again, it is night, the cruel nurse bends over the cradle of the slooping child, she lifts it in her arms and is gone. She takes the child away to a distant city, leaves her on the doorstep of a poor man's house. The child grows to womanhood a waif—and you are the child."

No longer could "Dixy" restrain herself.

child."
No longer could "Dixy" restrain herself.
"My parents, where are they? Do they live?
Oh, who are they?" "At Charleston: you are their only child and they have long mourned you as dead, their name is Morion go to them at once, you have a locket and you are the image of your mother, they will know you."

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